

Mr. Dan Wall U. S. Environmental Protection Agency Region VII 726 Minnesota Avenue Kansas City, Kansas 66101

February 9, 2001

Dear Mr. Wall:

Monthly Progress Report – January 2001 West Lake (Bridgeton) Landfill, Operable Unit 2 RI/FS

On behalf of Laidlaw Waste Systems, Inc. (Laidlaw), Herst & Associates, Inc. has prepared the following progress report in accordance with Section XIII, Paragraph 39 of the Administrative Order on Consent (Consent Order), EPA Docket No. VII-94-F-0025. The progress report describes activities conducted in January 2001.

I. ACTIONS TAKEN TO COMPLY WITH THE CONSENT ORDER

A monthly progress report was submitted to EPA.

II. VALIDATED RESULTS RECEIVED

No validated data were received in January.

III. WORK PLANNED DURING FEBRUARY AND MARCH 2001

Preparation of the FS Report will continue in February.

IV. MATERIAL PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED OR ANTICIPATED MATERIAL DELAYS

No material problems or delays were encountered in January and none are anticipated for February or March.

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If you have any questions or comments, please contact Mr. Doug Borro, the Respondent's designated Project Coordinator, or the undersigned.

Sincerely,

HERST & ASSOCIATES, INC.

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Managing Director

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